

UNITED STATES COURT OF MILITARY COMMISSION REVIEW
before F. Williams, D. Conn, and C. Thompson

UNITED STATES

Appellee

v.

ALI HAMZA AHMAD SULIMAN
AL BAHLUL

Appellant.

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) MOTION FOR WAIVER OF PAGE
) LIMITATION
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) CMCR CASE NO. 09-001
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) Tried at Guantanamo, Cuba on
) 7 May 2008,
) 15 August 2008,
) 24 September 2008,
) 27 October – 3 November 2008
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) Before a Military Commission convened by
) Hon. Susan Crawford
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) Presiding Military Judge
) Colonel Peter Brownback, USA (Ret.)
) Colonel Ronald Gregory, USAF
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) DATE: 1 September 2009
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**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF THE COURT OF MILITARY
COMMISSION REVIEW**

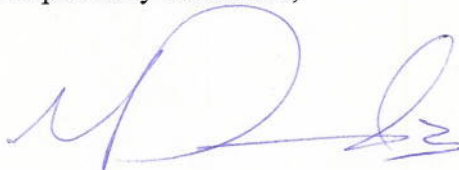
Pursuant to Rule 14(f) of the Rules of Practice for the Court of Military Commission Review, Appellant respectfully requests a waiver of the 30-page limitation for Appellant's merits brief in the above captioned case. If granted, Appellant's brief will not exceed 50 pages, including tables of authorities and certificates of counsel.

Five assignments of error are asserted by Appellant and waiver is requested so that Appellant may provide adequate briefing on each of these. As Appellant's case is the first appeal from a completed military commission, Appellant raises a number of issues of first

impression for which a full presentation would be beneficial to the court. Appellant notes that its Brief is well within the word and line count limitations of Rule 14(g).

WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully requests this Court grant the requested waiver of page limitation.

Respectfully submitted,



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I certify that a copy of the foregoing was sent via e-mail to CAPT Edward White on the 1st day of September 2009.

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